



THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 7526**  
Yoshihiro KAYANO et al. : Docket No. 2001-0474A  
Serial No. 09/842,255 : Group Art Unit 1732  
Filed April 26, 2001 : Examiner M. Fontaine

METHOD FOR INJECTION-MOLDING AN  
ARTICLE HAVING A HOLLOW PORTION  
AND AN INJECTION-MOLDING APPARATUS

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED  
TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE  
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Sir:

Petition hereby is made for a one month extension of time to respond to the communication of  
December 16, 2003.

The fee of \$110.00 is

- ☒ submitted herewith.  
☐ to be charged to Deposit Account No. 23-0975. A duplicate copy of this Petition is  
enclosed.
- ☐ Small entity status of this application is established by a Small Entity Status Assertion  
which  
☐ is enclosed.  
☐ has been previously submitted.

Respectfully submitted,

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